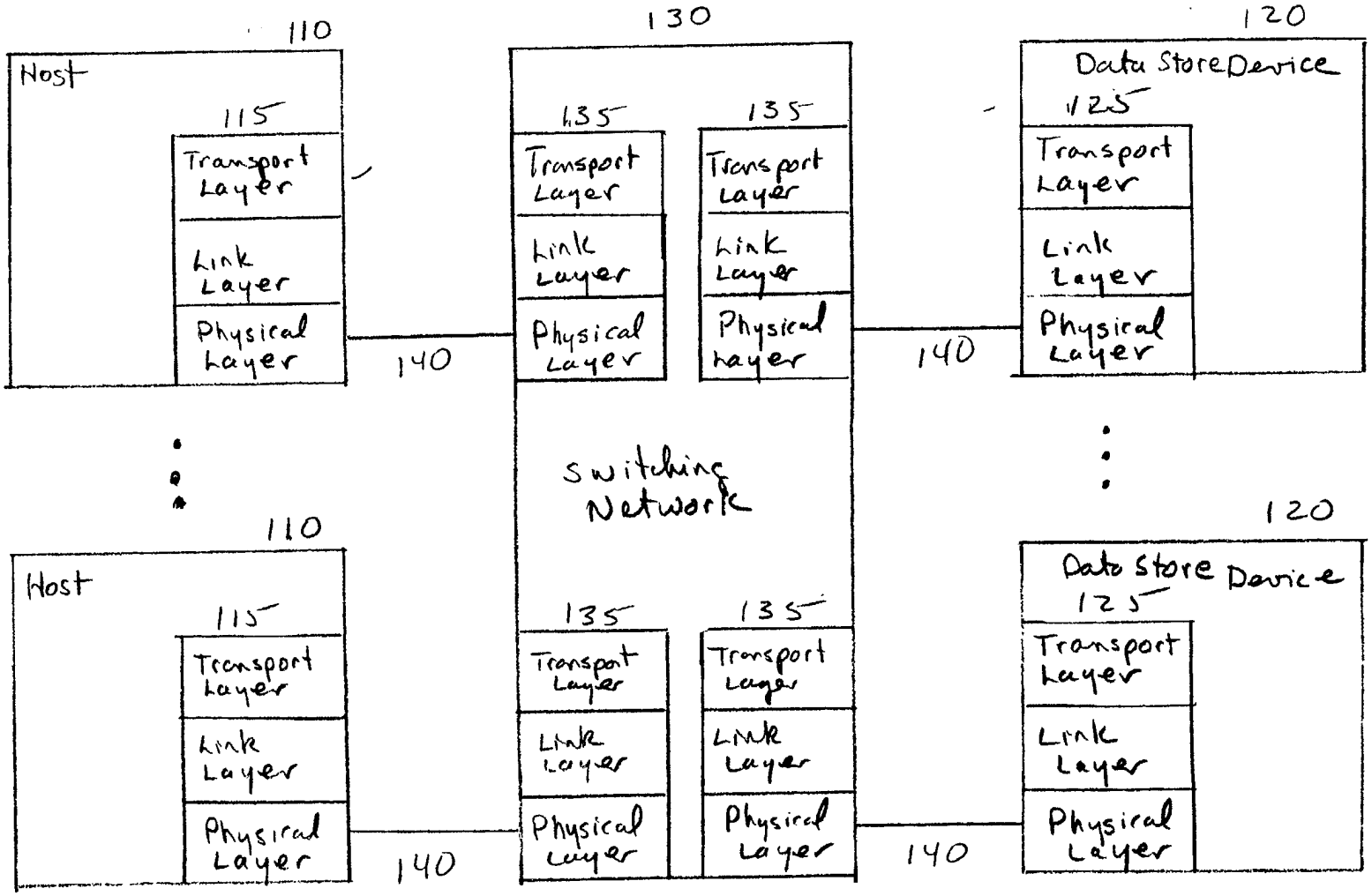

110
Host
115
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
140
130
135
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
135
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
140
120
Data Store Device
125
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
Switching Network
110
Host
115
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
140
135
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
135
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer
140
120
Data Store Device
125
Transport Layer
Link Layer
Physical Layer

Fig 1

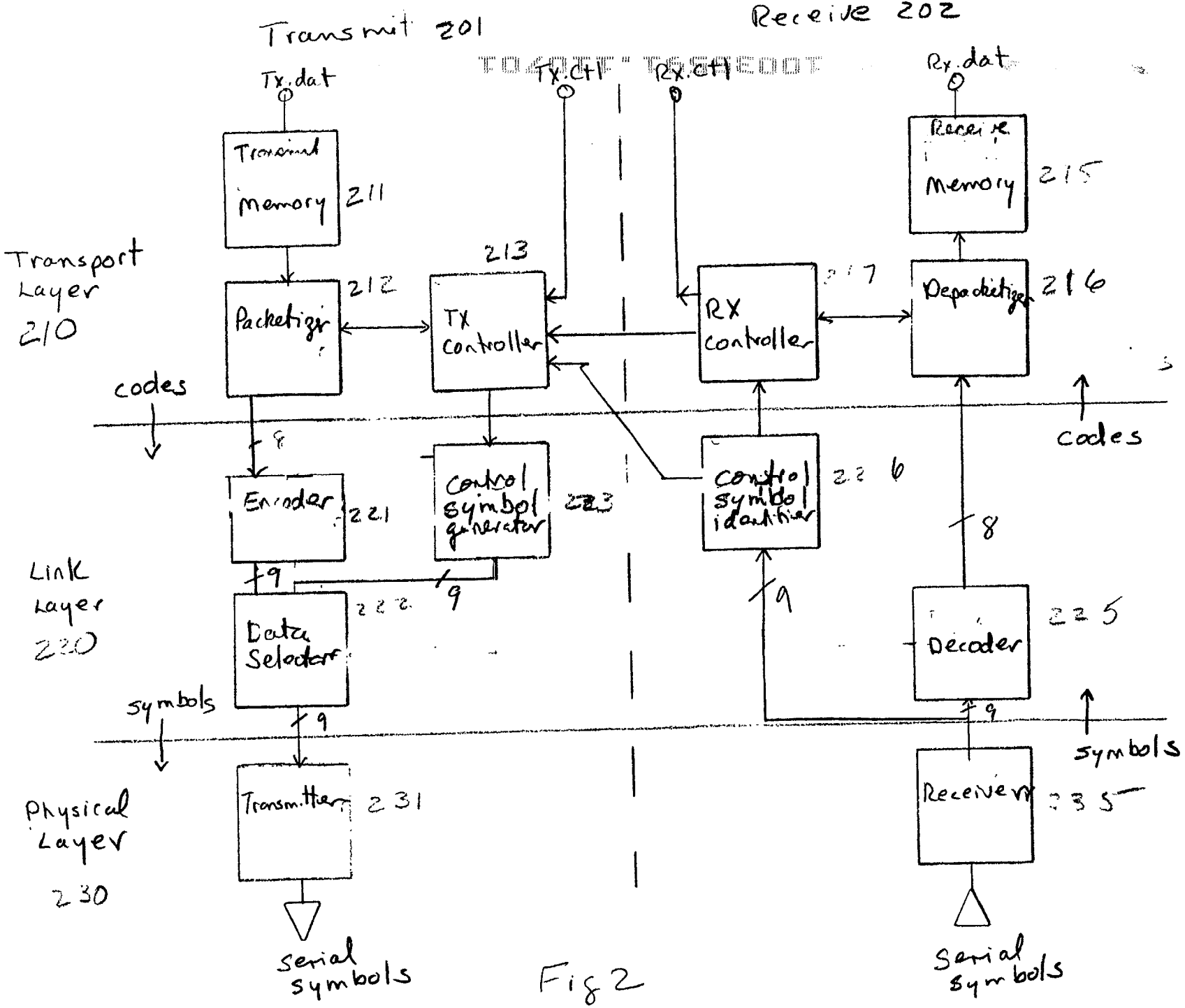

Transmit 201
Receive 202
Tx.dat
Tx.ctl
Rx.ctl
Rx.dat
Transmit memory 211
Packetizer 212
213
TX controller
RX controller 217
Depacketizer 216
Receive Memory 215
Transport Layer 210
codes
codes
8
Encoder 221
Control symbol generator 223
Control symbol identifier 226
8
Link Layer 220
9
9
9
Data Selector 222
Decoder 225
symbols
9
symbols
Transmitter 231
Receiver 235
Physical Layer 230
serial symbols
serial symbols

Fig 2

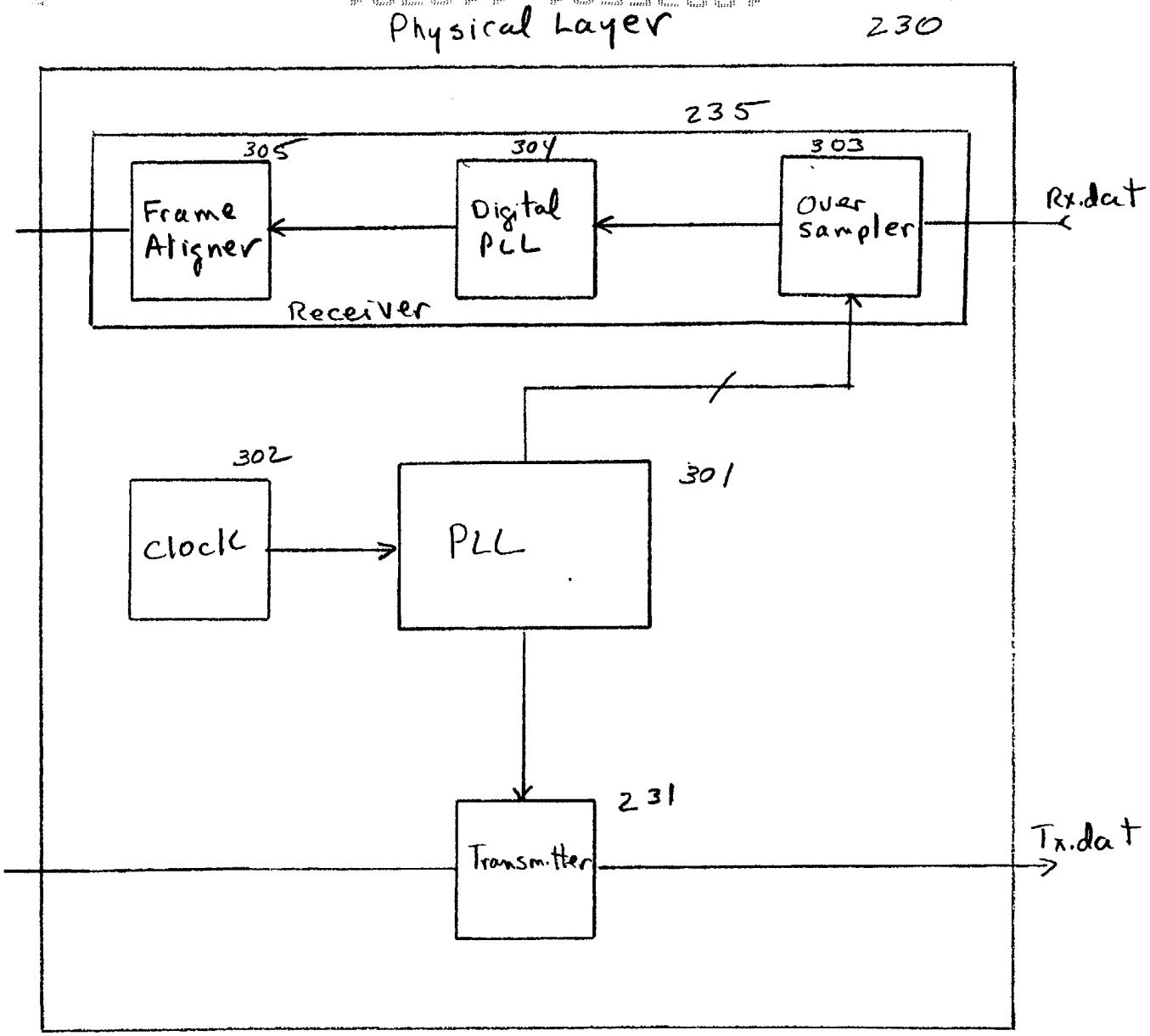


Fig 3

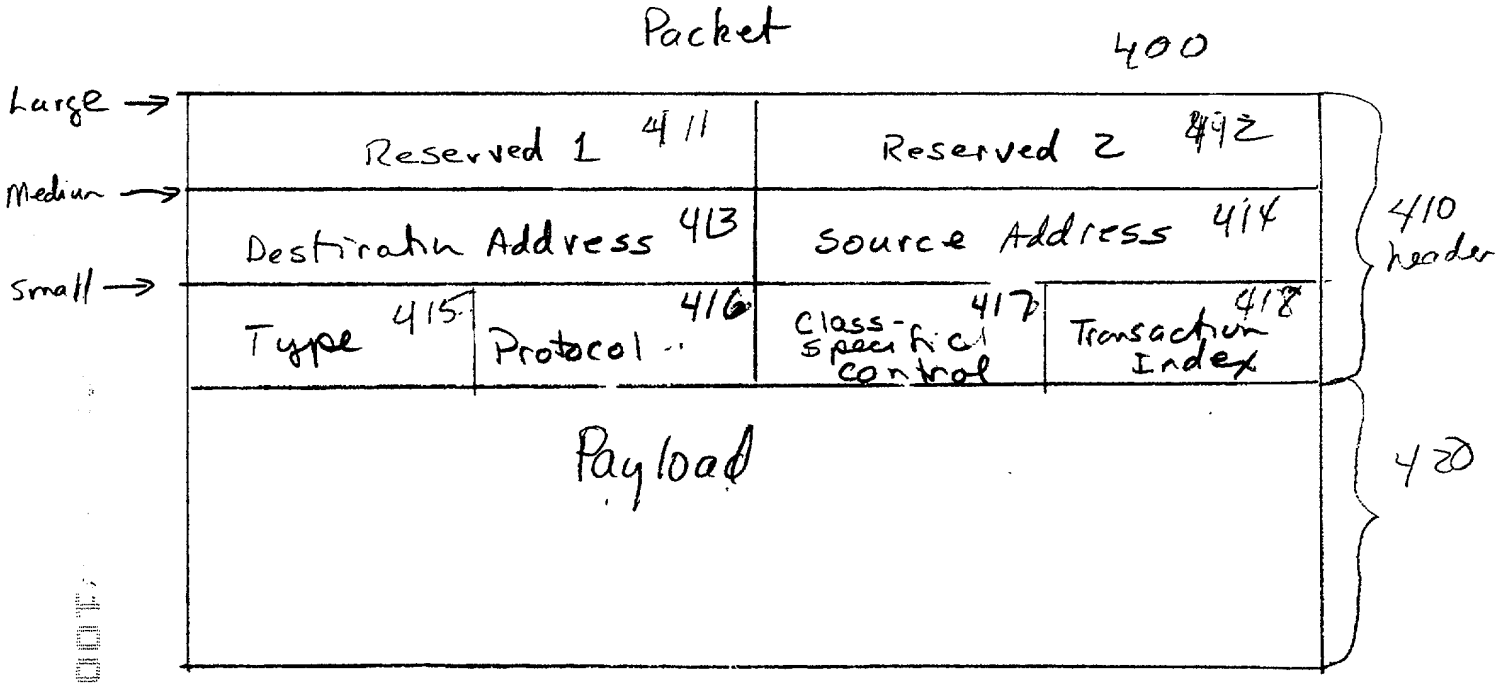

Packet
400
Large →
Medium →
Small →
Reserved 1
411
Reserved 2
412
Destination Address
413
Source Address
414
Type
415
Protocol
416
Class-specific control
417
Transaction Index
418
410 header
Payload
420

Fig 4

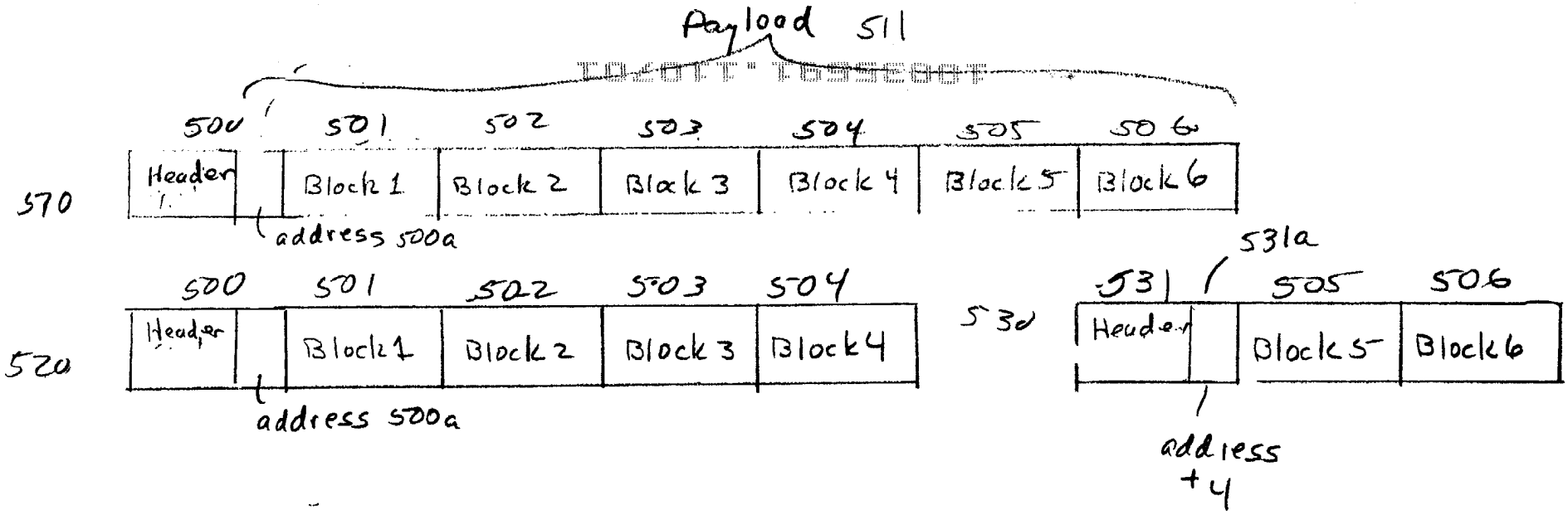

Payload 511
500
501
502
503
504
505
506
570
Header
Block 1
Block 2
Block 3
Block 4
Block 5
Block 6
address 500a
500
501
502
503
504
520
Header
Block 1
Block 2
Block 3
Block 4
address 500a
531a
531
505
506
530
Header
Block 5
Block 6
address
+4

Fig 5

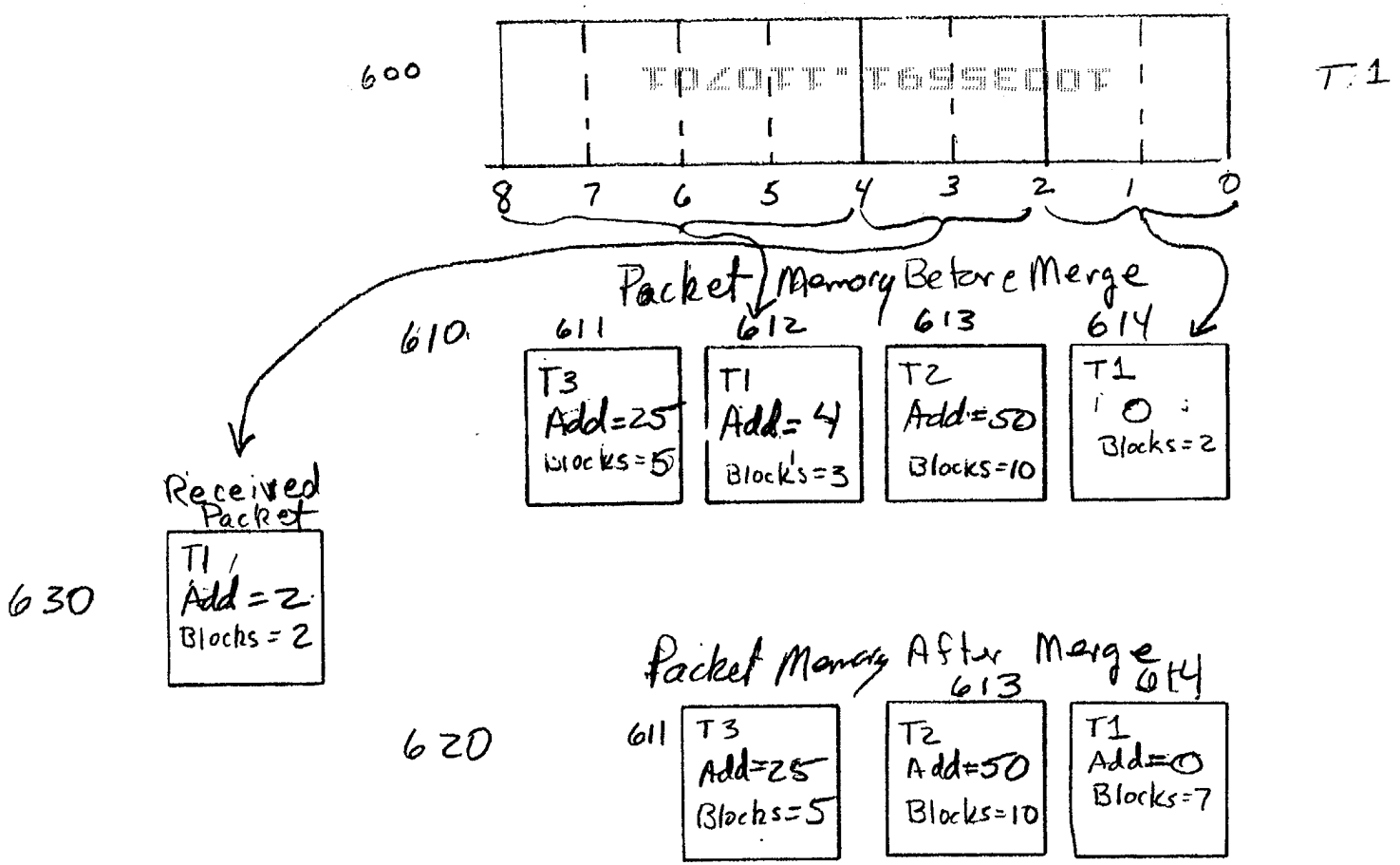

600
T1
8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0
Packet Memory Before Merge
610
611
612
613
614
T3
Add=25
Blocks=5
T1
Add=4
Blocks=3
T2
Add=50
Blocks=10
T1
Add=0
Blocks=2
Received Packet
630
T1
Add=2
Blocks=2
Packet Memory After Merge
620
611
613
614
T3
Add=25
Blocks=5
T2
Add=50
Blocks=10
T1
Add=0
Blocks=7

Fig 6

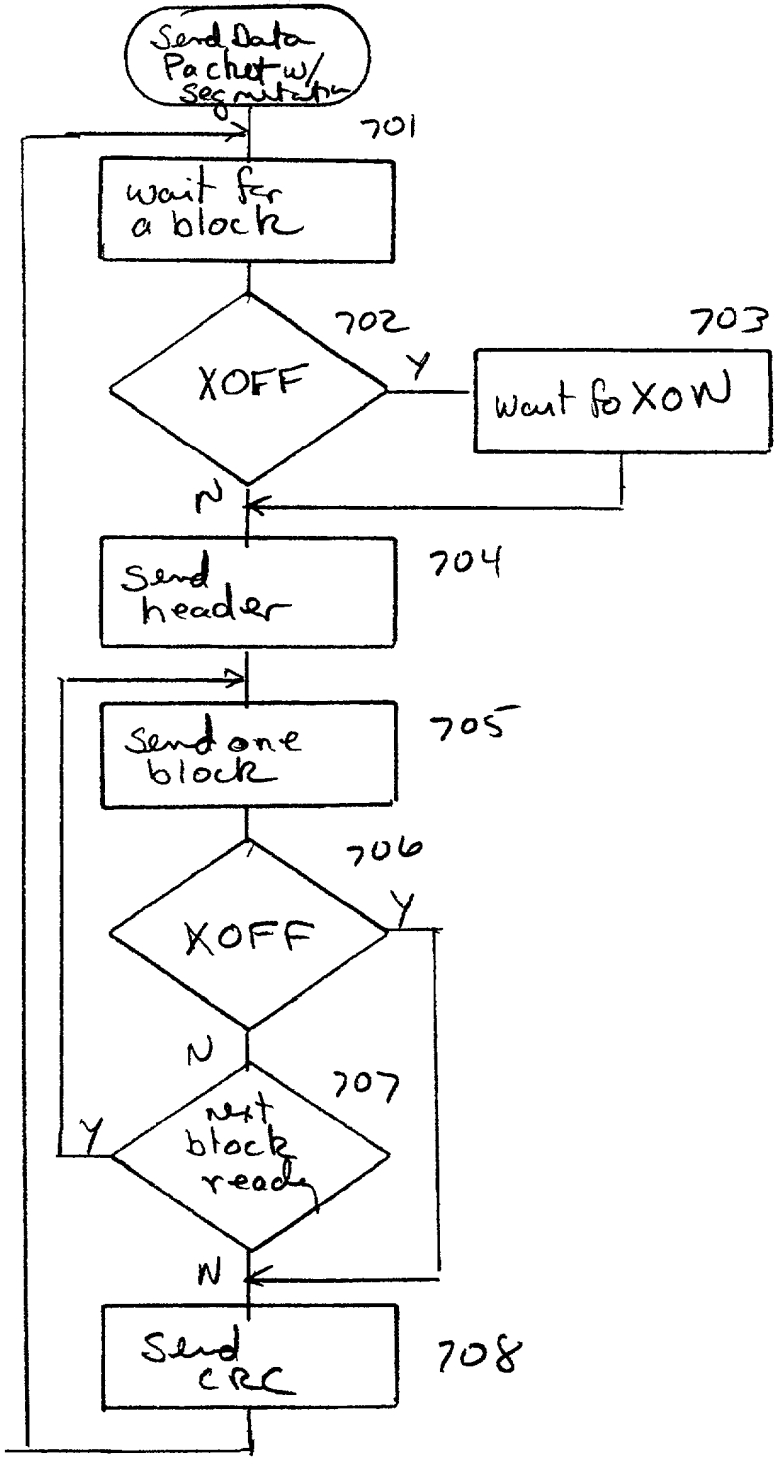

Send Data Packet w/ segmentation
701
wait for a block
702
XOFF
Y
703
wait for XON
N
Send header
704
Send one block
705
706
XOFF
Y
N
707
Next block ready
Y
N
Send CRC
708

Fig 7

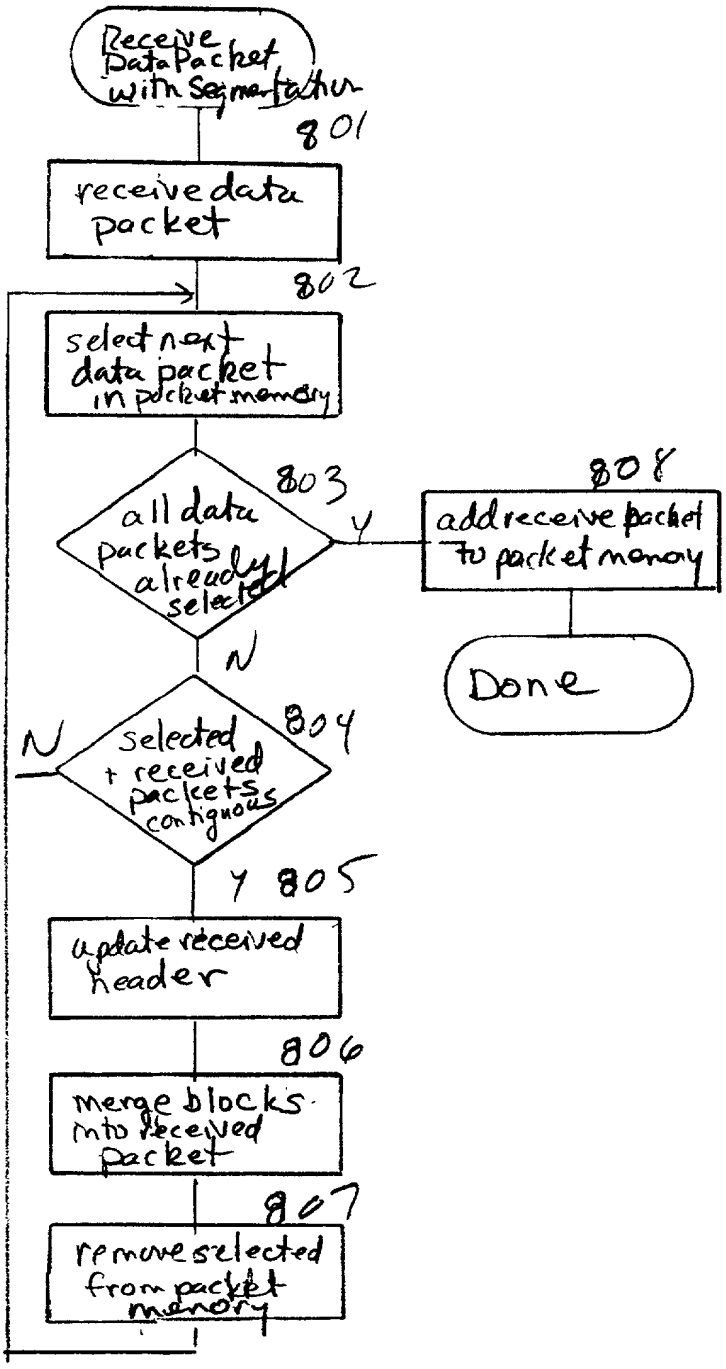
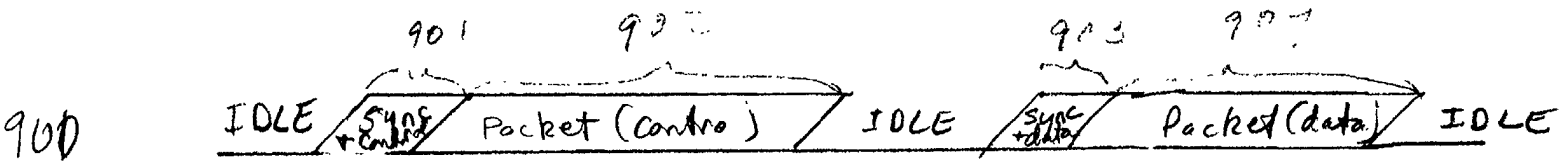
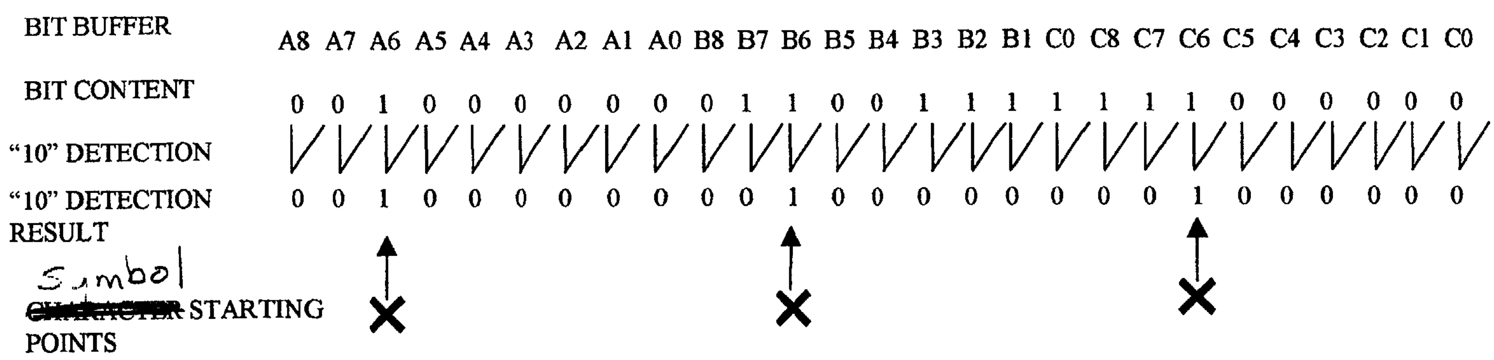

Receive Data Packet with Segmentation
801
receive data packet
802
select next data packet in packet memory
803
all data packets already selected
Y
808
add receive packet to packet memory
Done
N
N
selected + received packets contiguous
804
Y 805
update received header
806
merge blocks into received packet
807
remove selected from packet memory

Fig. 8



Sync + packet type

Fig 9A



BIT BUFFER
A8 A7 A6 A5 A4 A3 A2 A1 A0 B8 B7 B6 B5 B4 B3 B2 B1 C0 C8 C7 C6 C5 C4 C3 C2 C1 C0
BIT CONTENT
0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
"10" DETECTION
"10" DETECTION RESULT
0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Symbol
~~CHARACTER~~ STARTING POINTS

FIG.10

Fig 9B

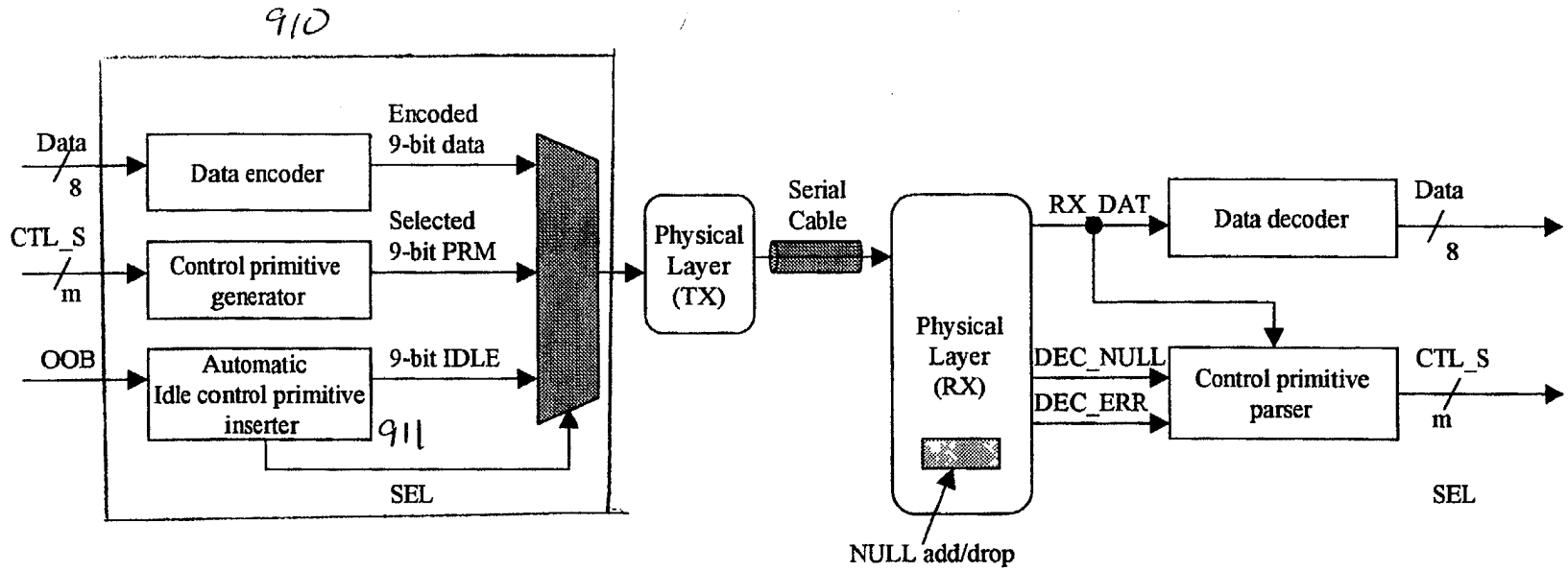


Fig. 9C

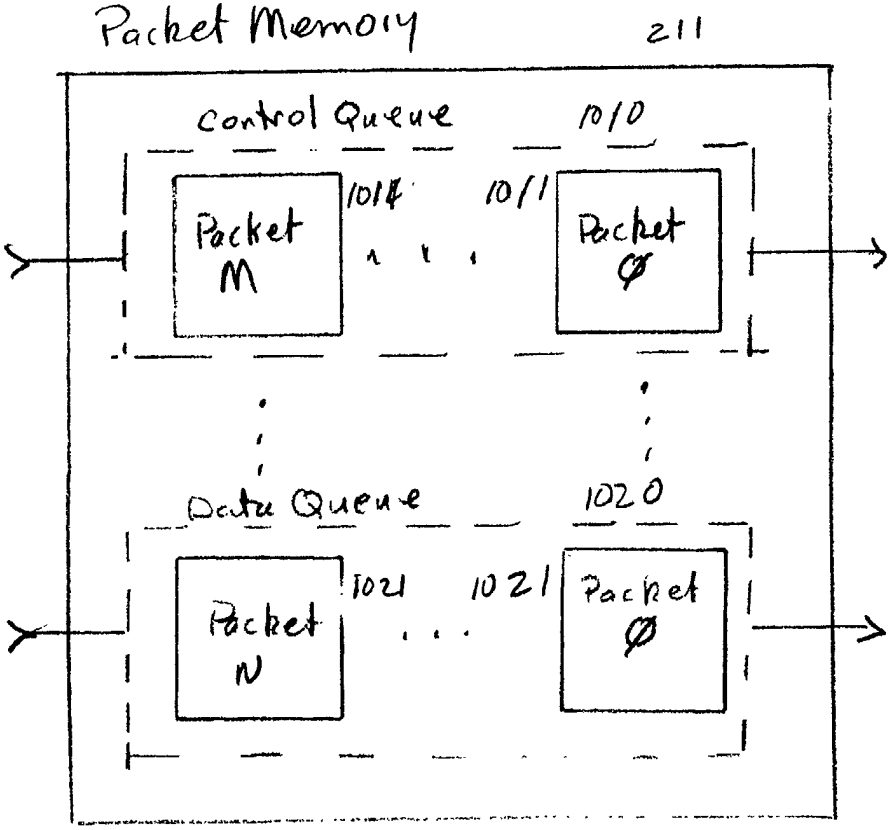


Fig 10

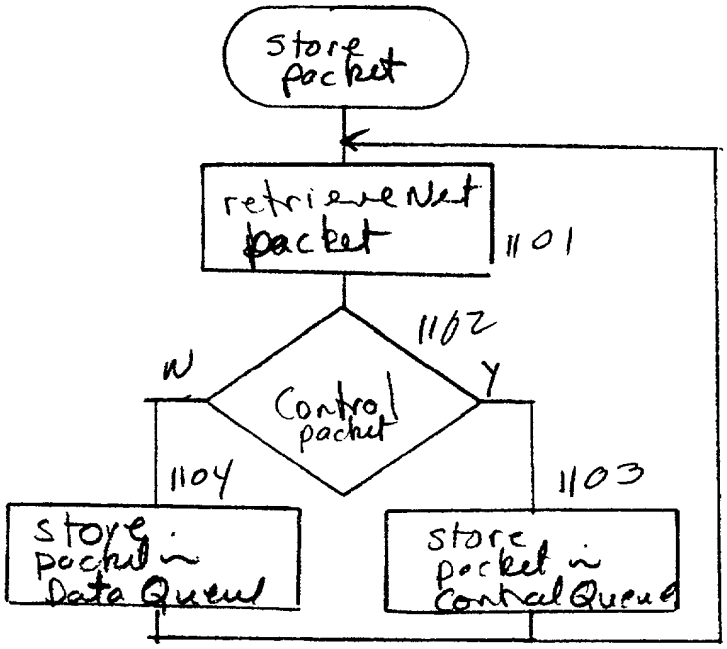

store packet
retrieve Next packet
1101
1102
Control packet
N
Y
1104
1103
store packet in Data Queue
store packet in Control Queue

Fig 11

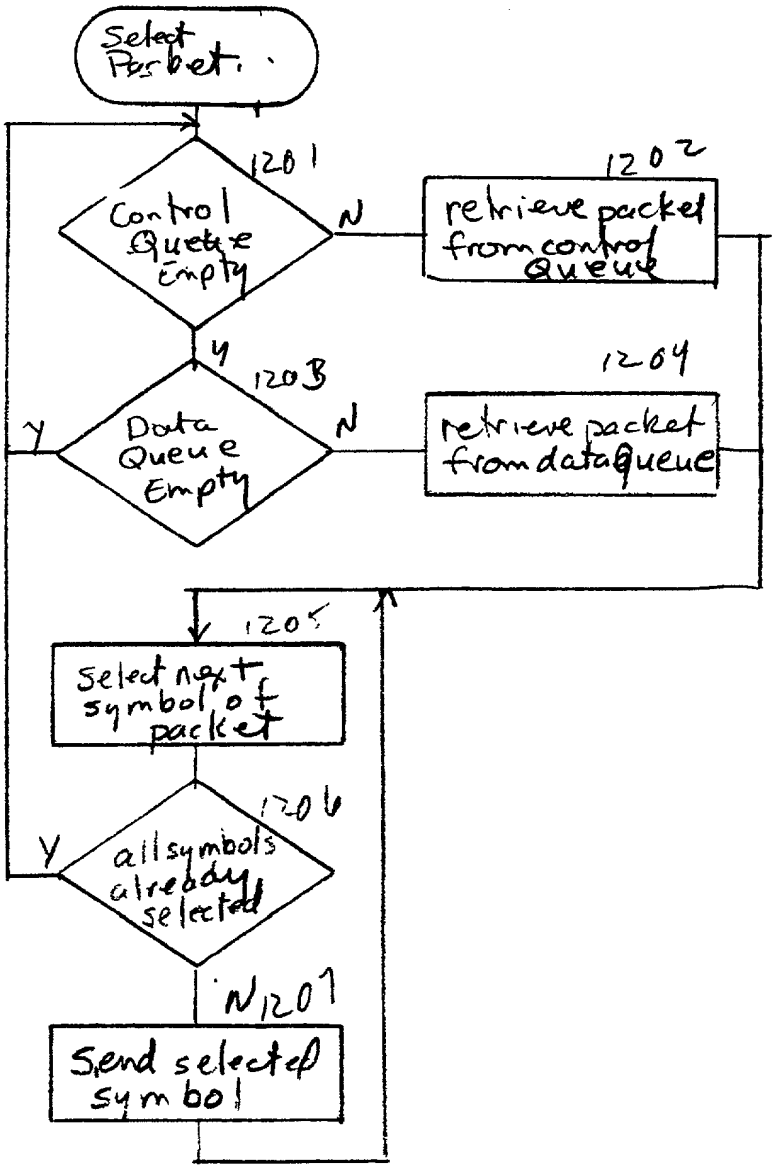

Select Packet
1201
Control Queue Empty
N
1202
retrieve packet from control Queue
Y
1203
Data Queue Empty
Y
N
1204
retrieve packet from data Queue
1205
Select next symbol of packet
1206
all symbols already selected
Y
N 1207
Send selected symbol

Fig 12

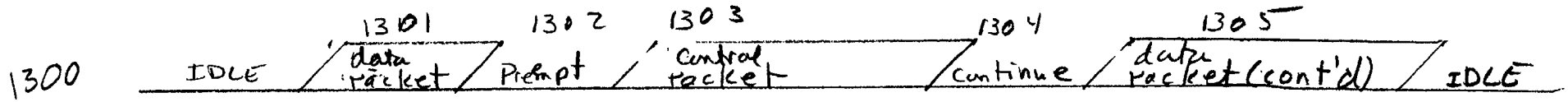


Fig 13

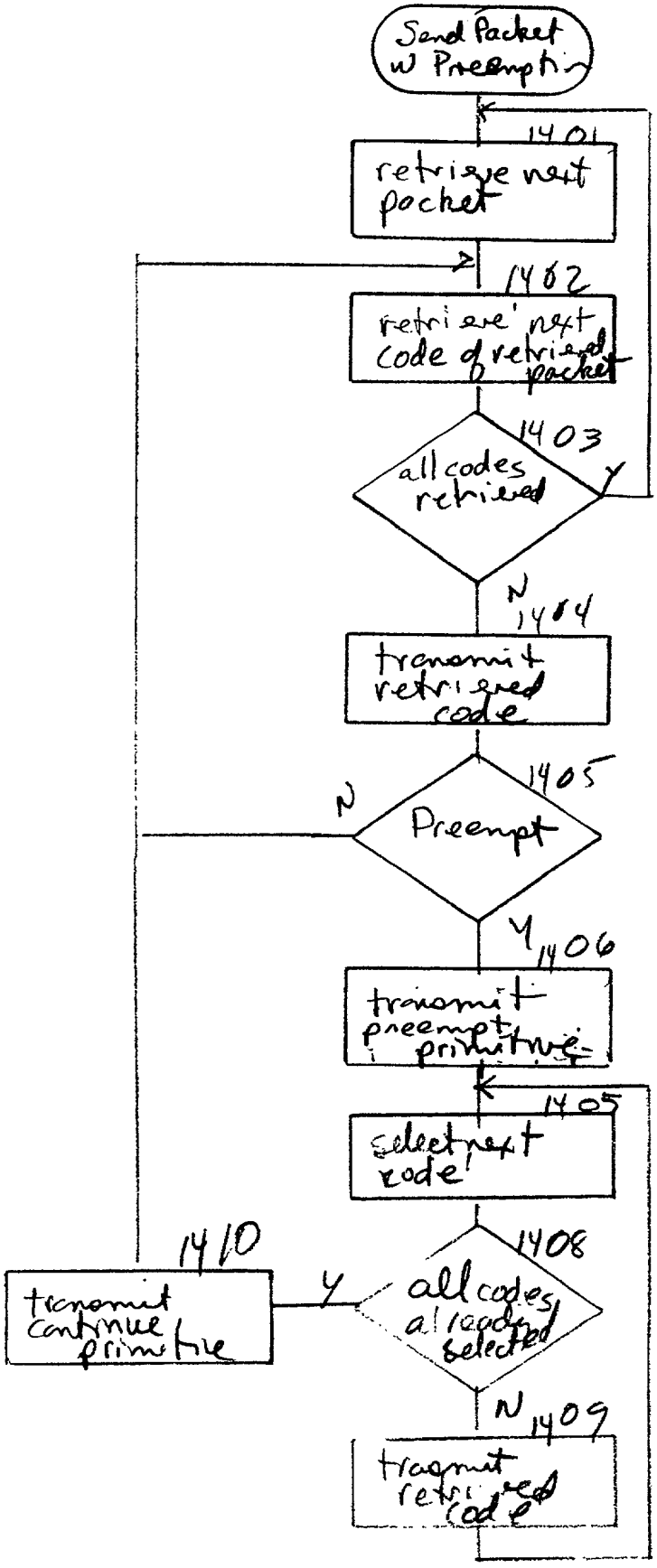

Send Packet w Preempt
1401
retrieve next packet
1402
retrieve next code of retrieved packet
1403
all codes retrieved
Y
N
1404
transmit retrieved code
1405
Preempt
N
Y
1406
transmit preempt primitive
1405
select next code
1408
all codes already selected
Y
1410
transmit continue primitive
N
1409
transmit retrieved code

Fig 14

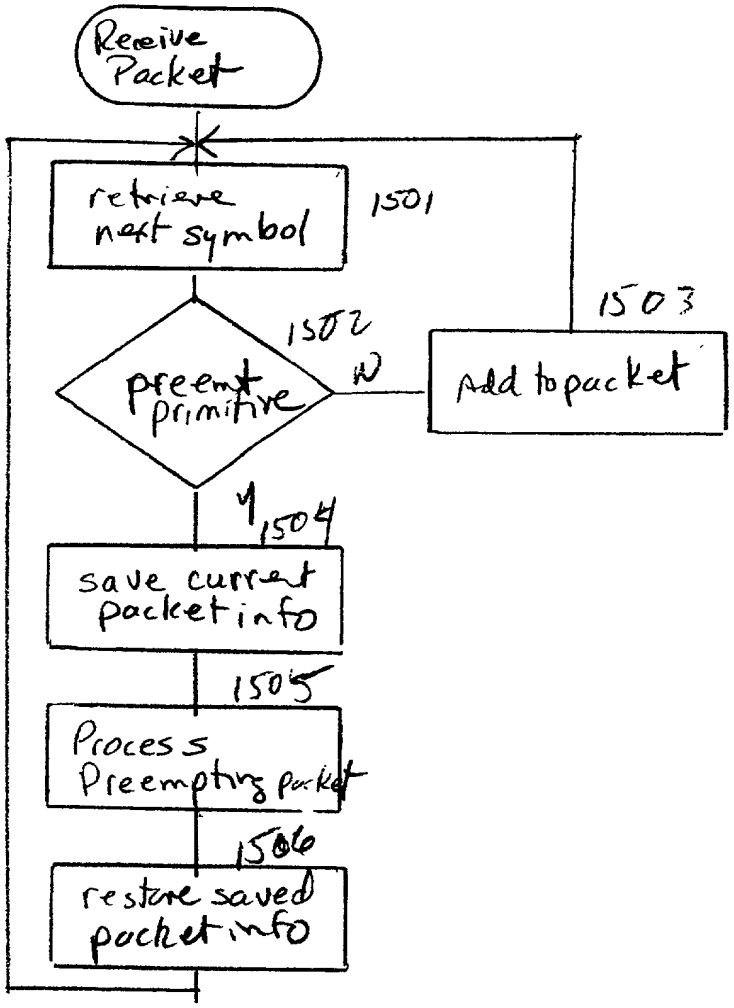

Receive Packet
retrieve next symbol
1501
preempt primitive
1502
N
Add to packet
1503
Y
1504
save current packet info
1505
Process Preempting packet
1506
restore saved packet info

Fig 15

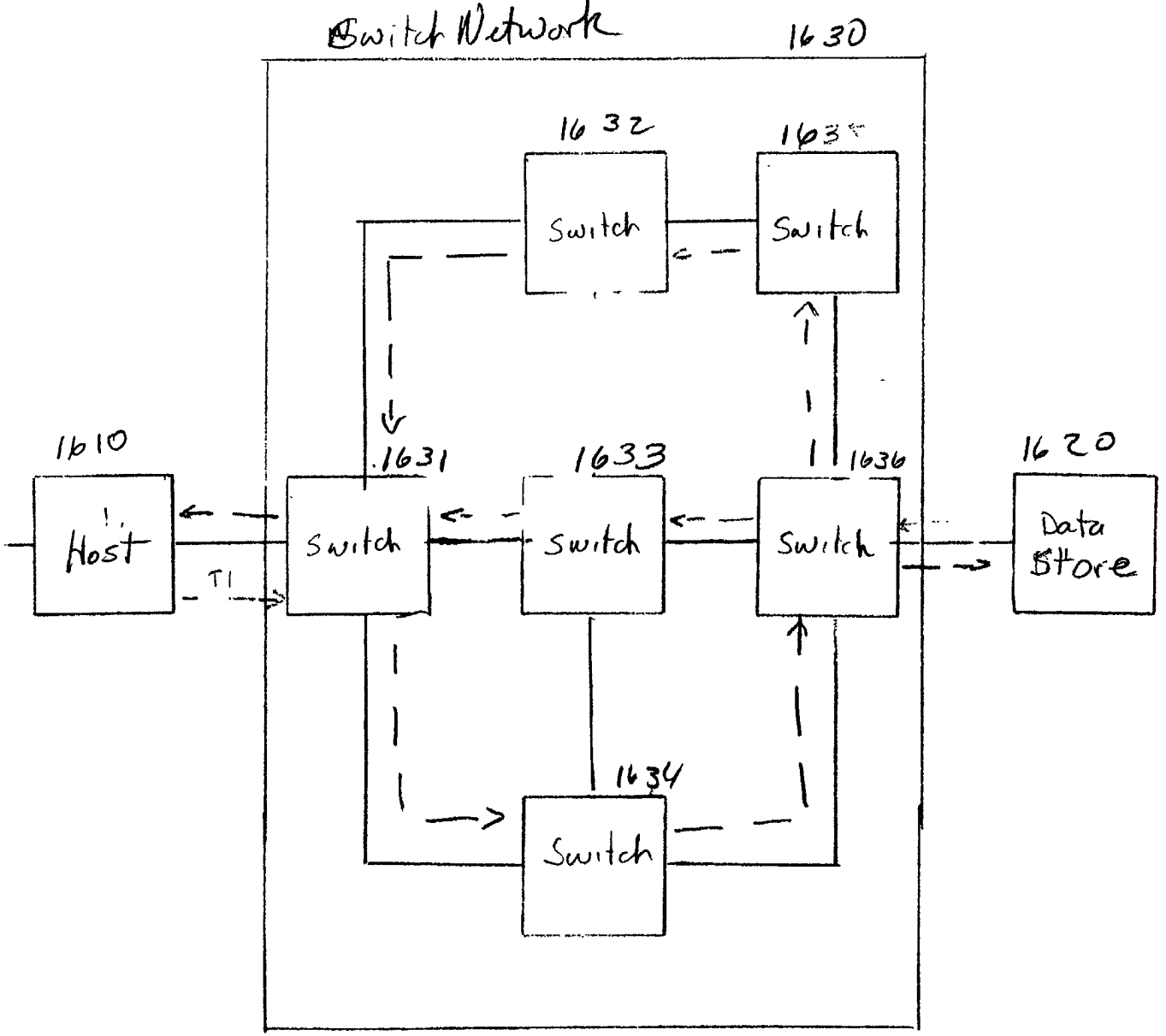


Fig 16

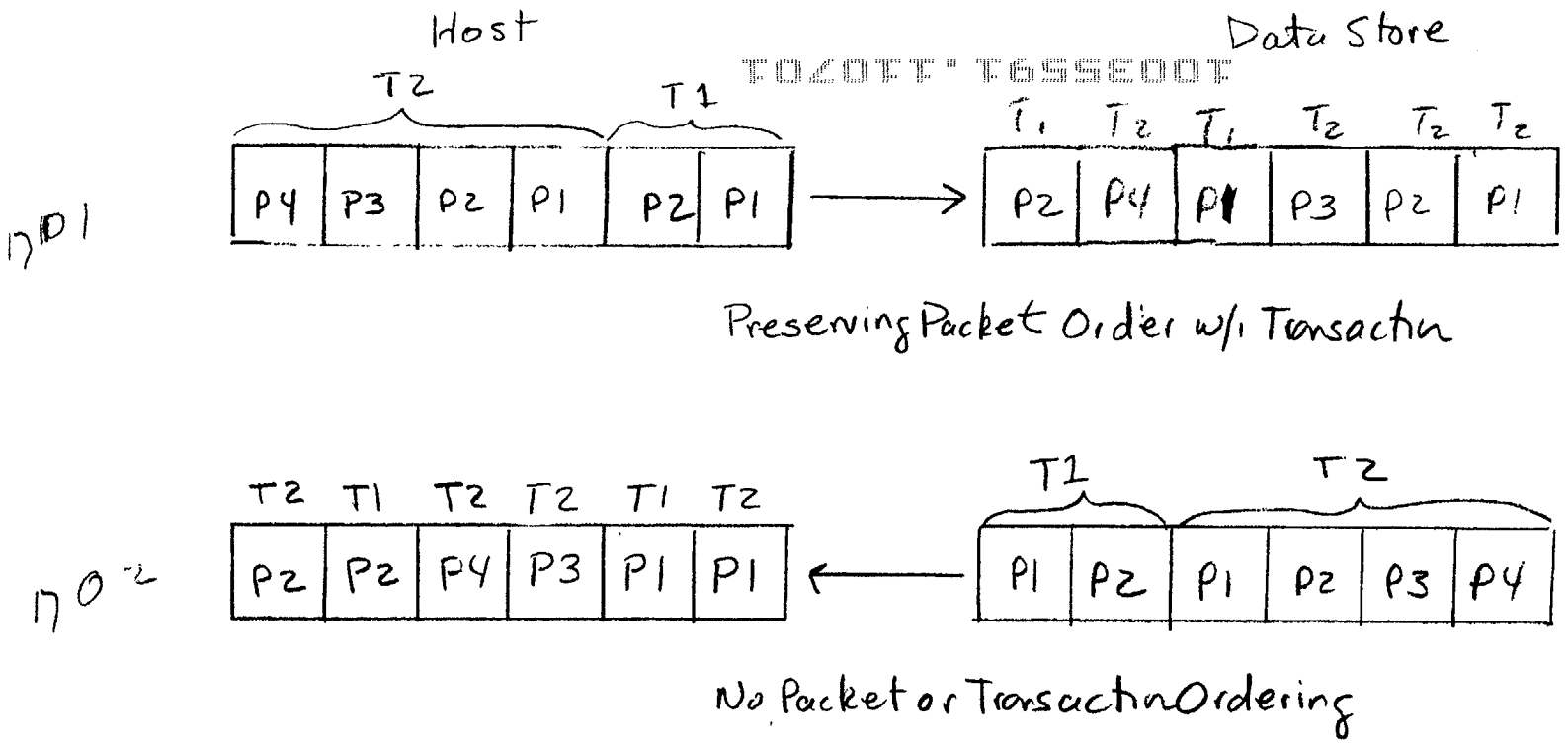

Host
Data Store
T2
T1
P4
P3
P2
P1
P2
P1
P2
P4
P1
P3
P2
P1
Preserving Packet Order w/ Transaction
T2
T1
T2
T2
T1
T2
P2
P2
P4
P3
P1
P1
T1
T2
P1
P2
P1
P2
P3
P4
No Packet or Transaction Ordering

Fig 17

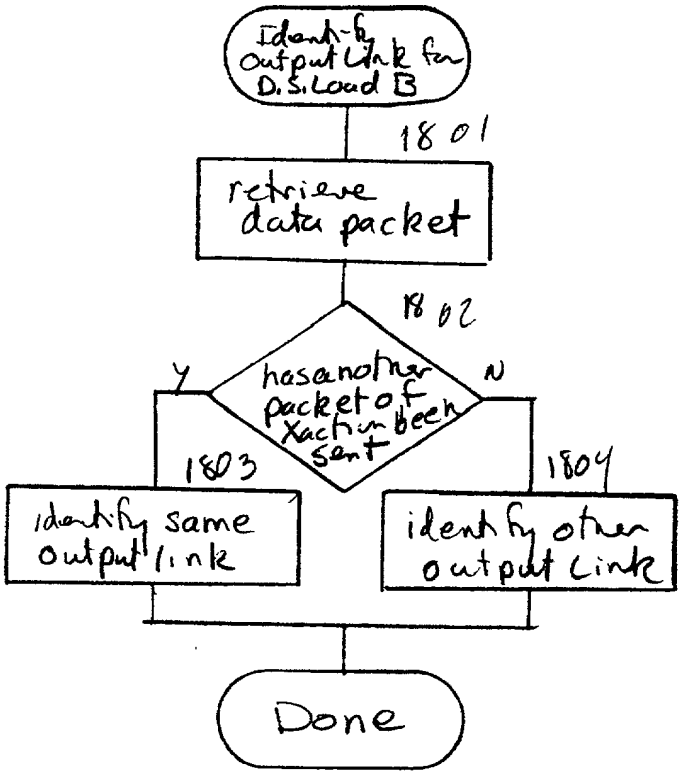

Identify output Link for D.S. Load B
1801
retrieve data packet
1802
has another packet of Xaction been sent
Y
N
1803
1804
identify same output link
identify other output Link
Done

Fig 18

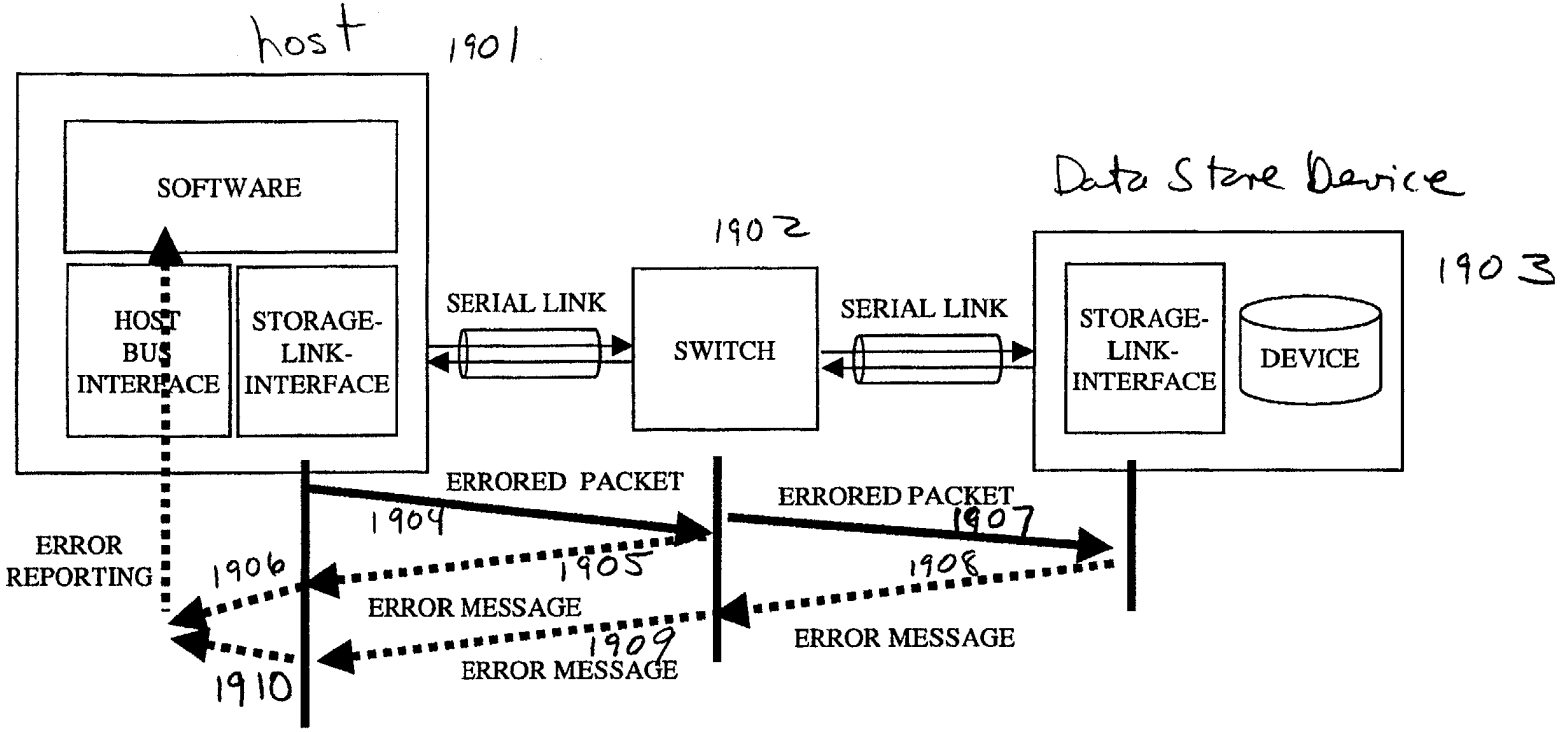


Fig 19A

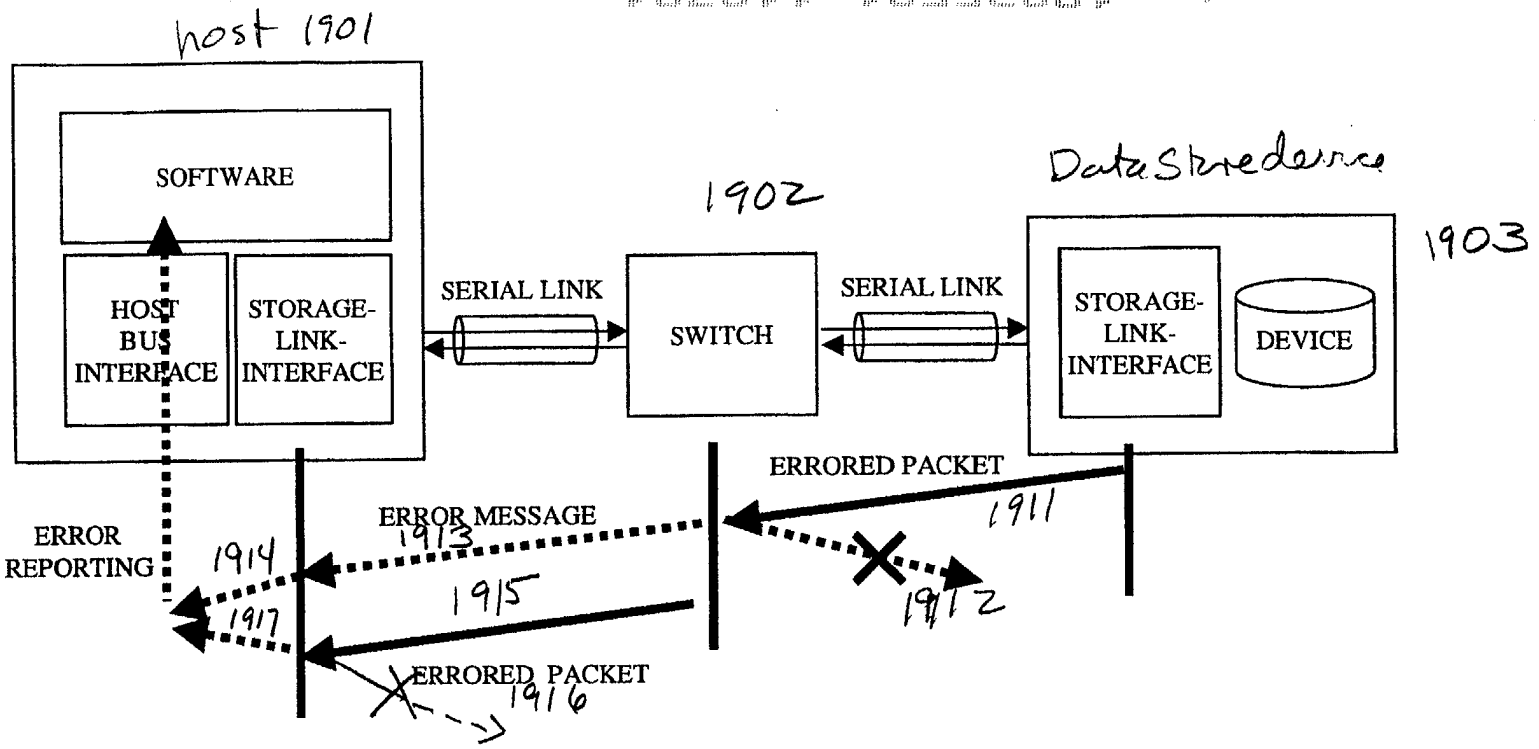
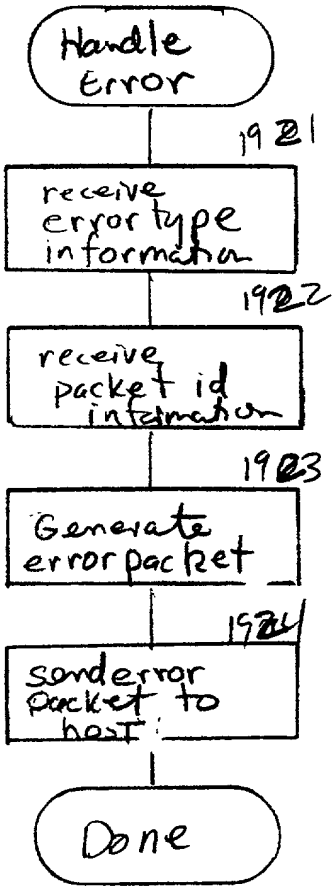


Fig 19B


Handle Error
1921
receive error type information
1922
receive packet id information
1923
Generate error packet
1924
send error packet to host
Done

19C

8b Code	9 bit symbol
0000 0000	101010101
0000 0001	101010100
0000 0010	101010111
⋮	
0101 0101	001010101
⋮	
0111 0110	001110110
0111 0111	100100010
⋮	
1111 1111	110101010

Fig 20

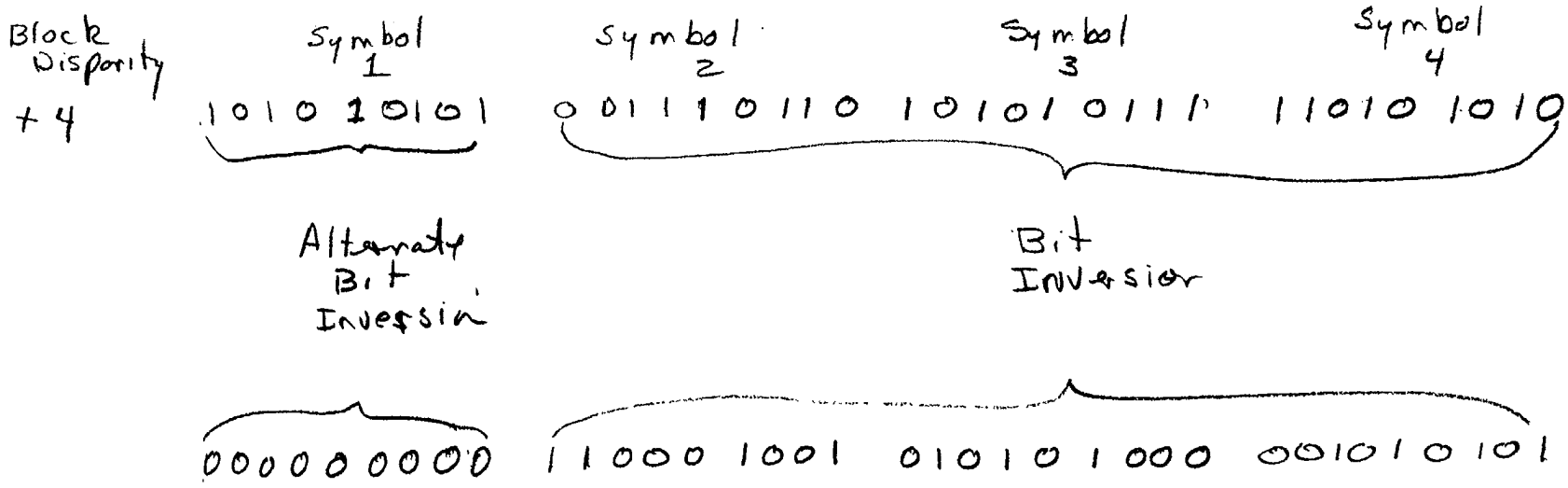

Block Disparity
+4
Symbol 1
Symbol 2
Symbol 3
Symbol 4
1010 1010 1
0 0111 0110 1010 1011 1
1101 0 1010
Alternate Bit Inversion
Bit Inversion
0000000000
1 1000 1001 0101 0 1000 0010 1 0 101

Fig 21A

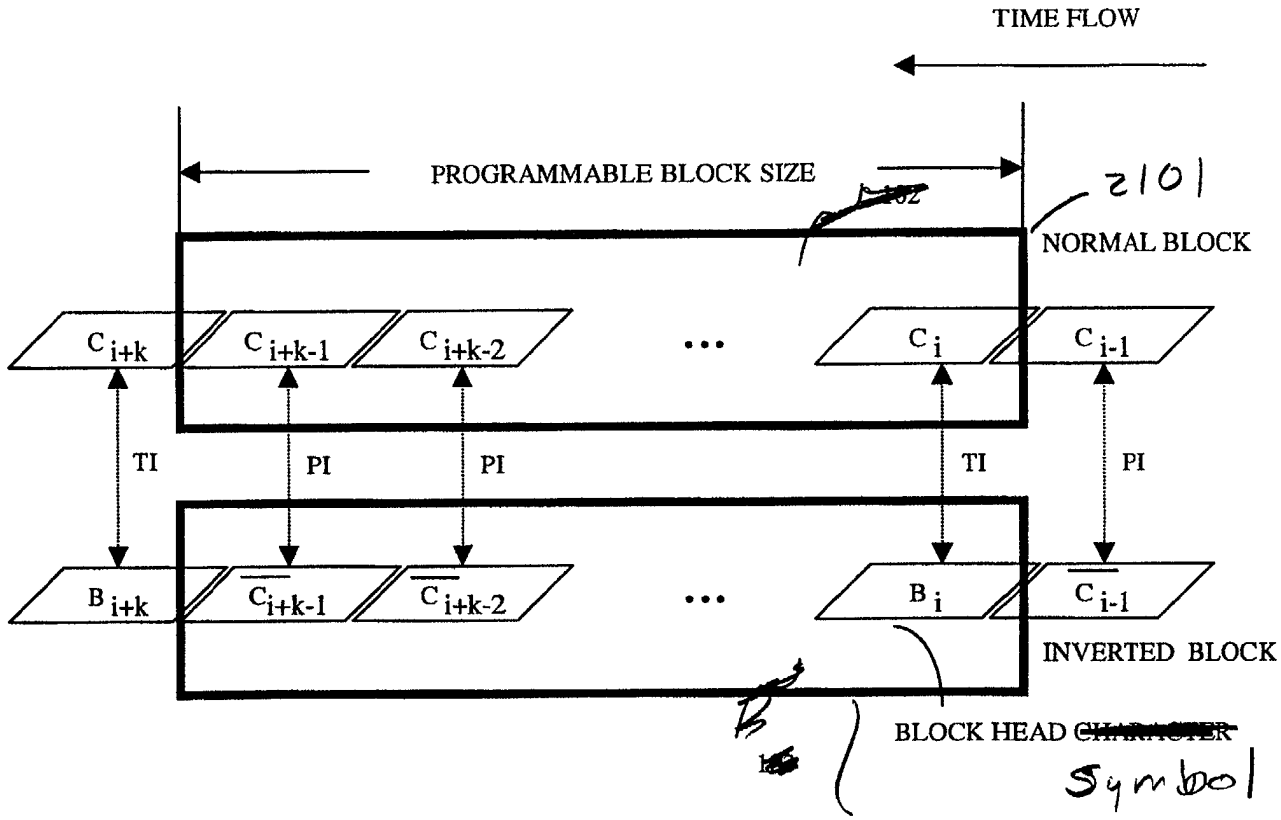


Fig 21B

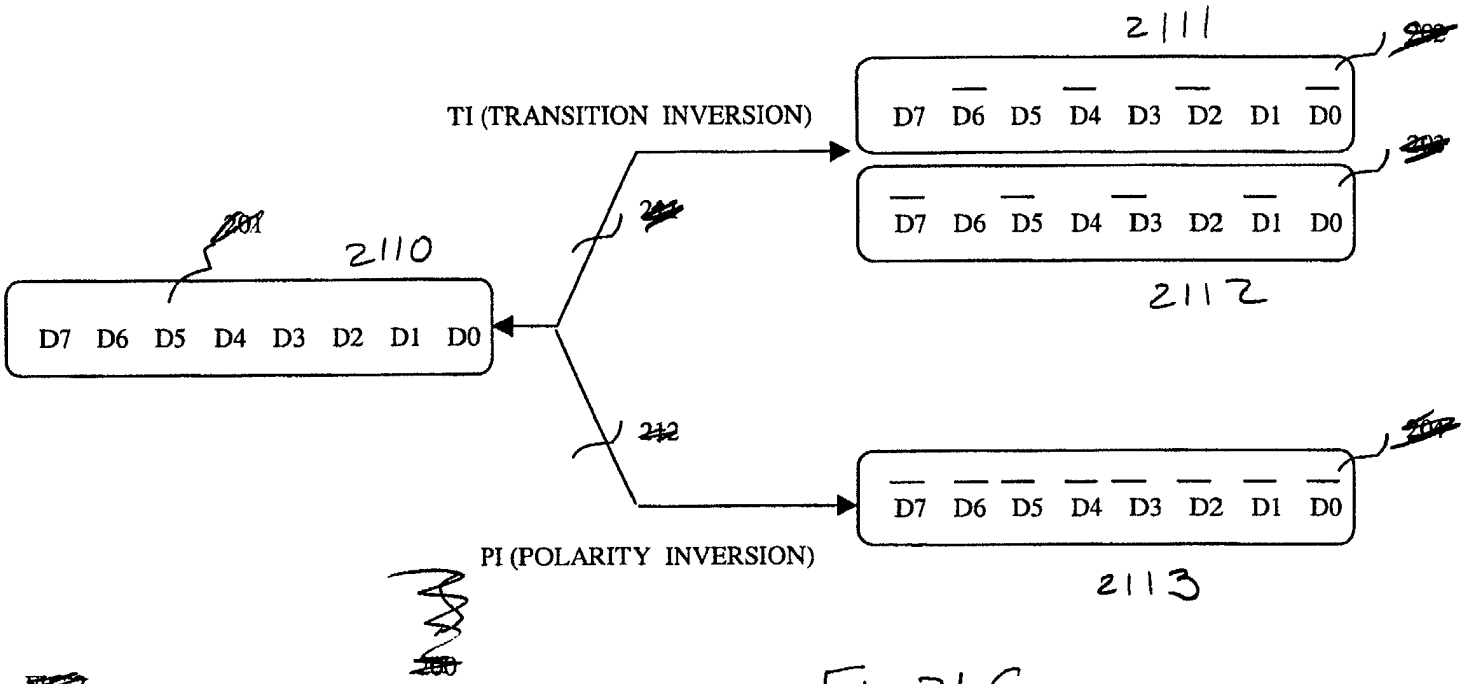

2111
TI (TRANSITION INVERSION)
D7 D6 D5 D4 D3 D2 D1 D0
D7 D6 D5 D4 D3 D2 D1 D0
2112
2110
D7 D6 D5 D4 D3 D2 D1 D0
PI (POLARITY INVERSION)
D7 D6 D5 D4 D3 D2 D1 D0
2113

FIG.2

Fig 21C

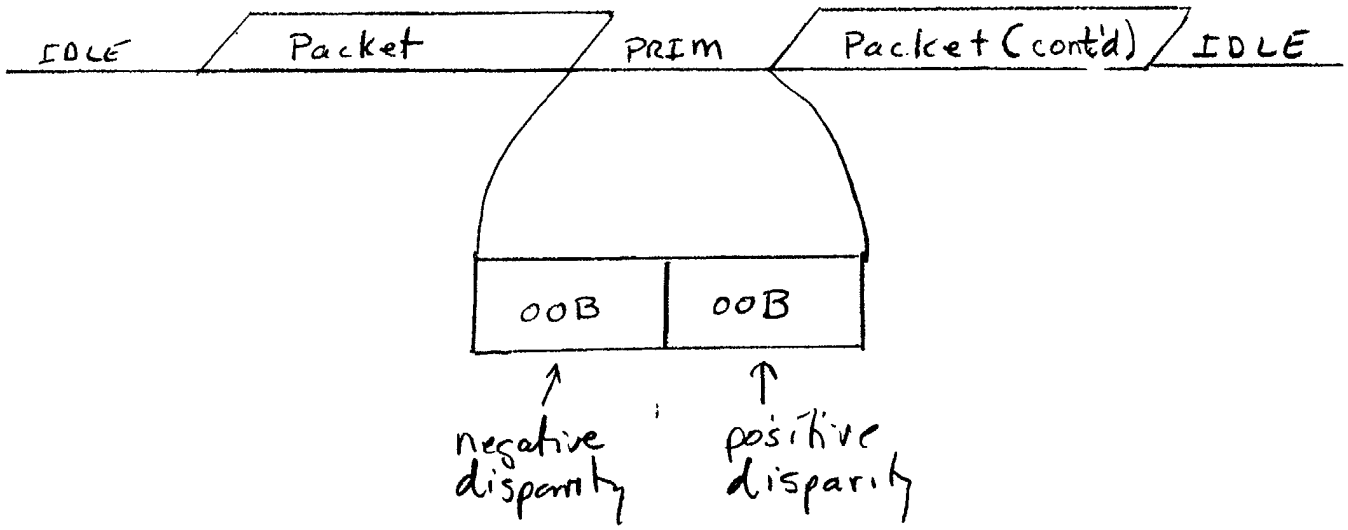


Fig 22

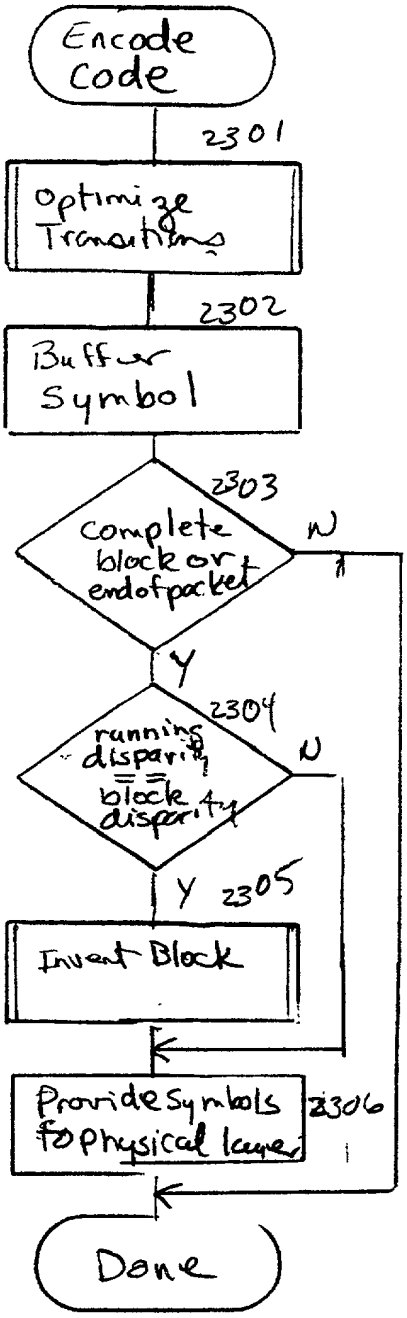

Encode Code
2301
Optimize Transitions
2302
Buffer Symbol
2303
complete block or endofpacket
N
Y
2304
running disparity == block disparity
N
Y
2305
Invert Block
Provide Symbols to Physical layer
2306
Done

Fig 23

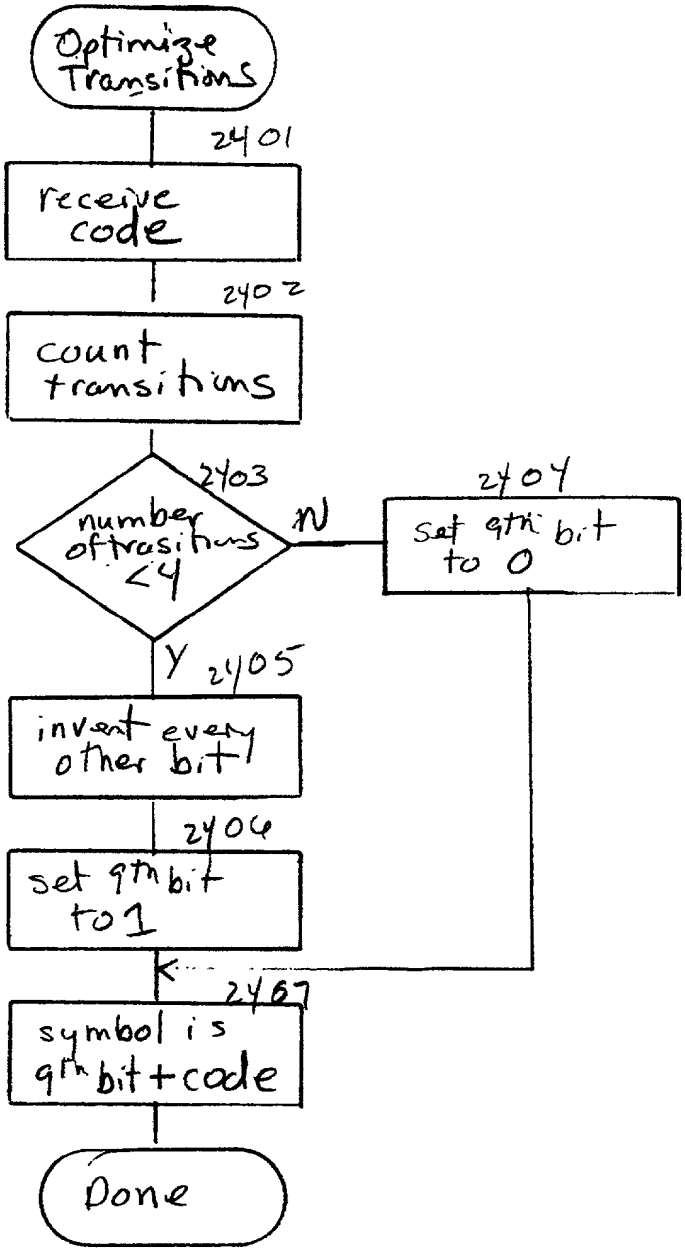

Optimize Transitions
2401
receive code
2402
count transitions
2403
number of trasitions <4
N
2404
set qth bit to 0
Y
2405
invert every other bit
2406
set qth bit to 1
2407
symbol is qth bit + code
Done

Fig 24

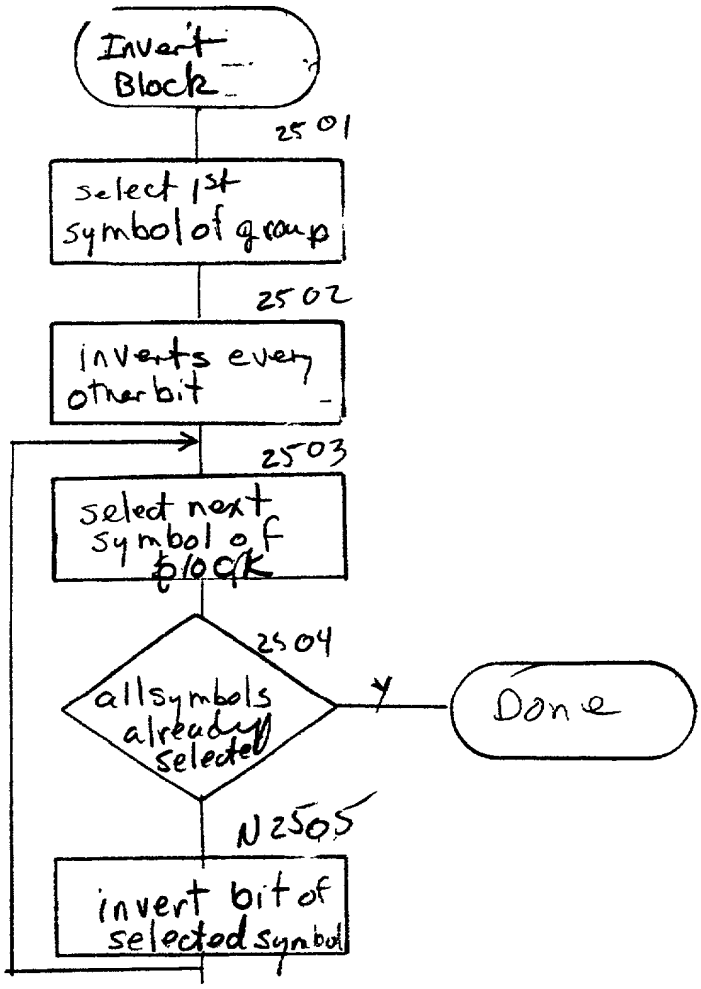

Invert Block
2501
select 1st symbol of group
2502
inverts every other bit
2503
select next symbol of block
2504
all symbols already selected
Y
Done
N
2505
invert bit of selected symbol

Fig 25

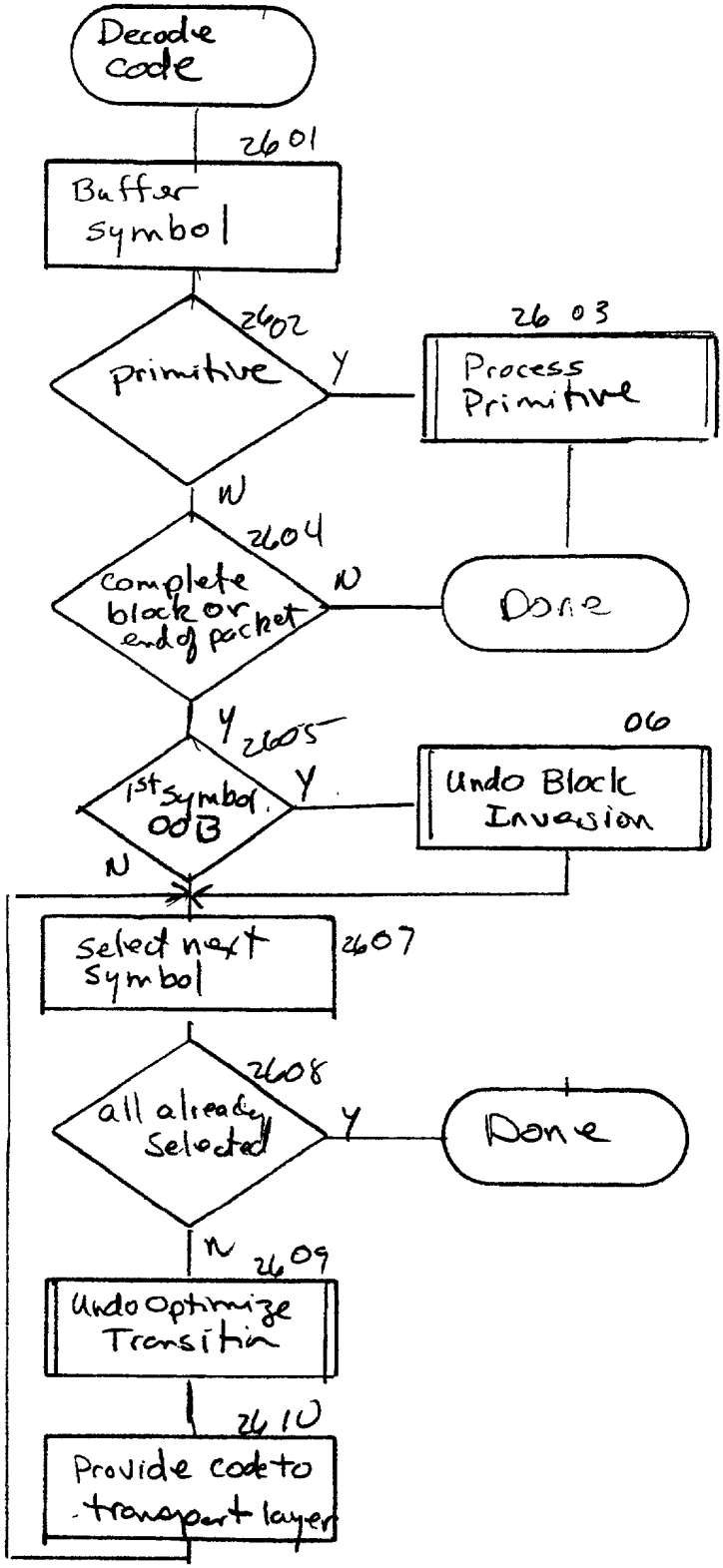

Decode code
2601
Buffer symbol
2602
Primitive
Y
2603
Process Primitive
N
2604
Complete block or end of packet
N
Done
Y
2605
1st symbol 00B
Y
06
Undo Block Invasion
N
Select next symbol
2607
2608
all already Selected
Y
Done
N
2609
Undo Optimize Transition
2610
Provide code to transport layer

Fig 26

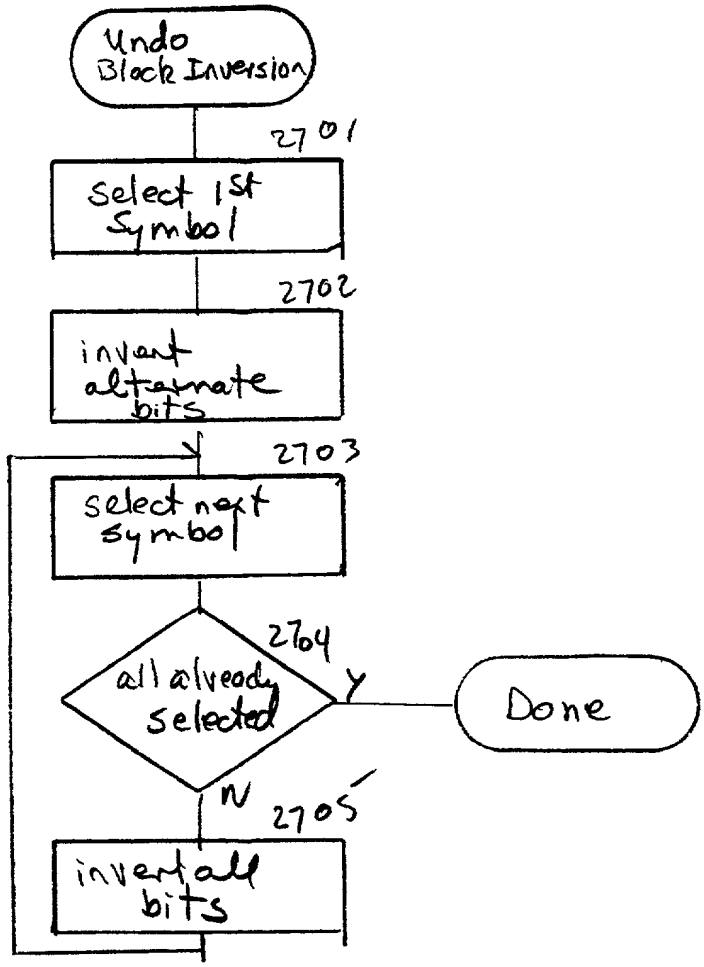

Undo Block Inversion
2701
Select 1st Symbol
2702
invert alternate bits
2703
select next symbol
2704
all already selected
Y
Done
N
2705
invert all bits

Fig 27

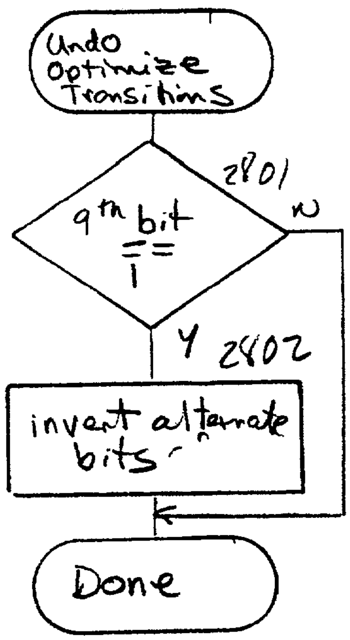

Undo Optimize Transitions
2801
9th bit == 1
N
Y
2802
invert alternate bits
Done

Fig 28

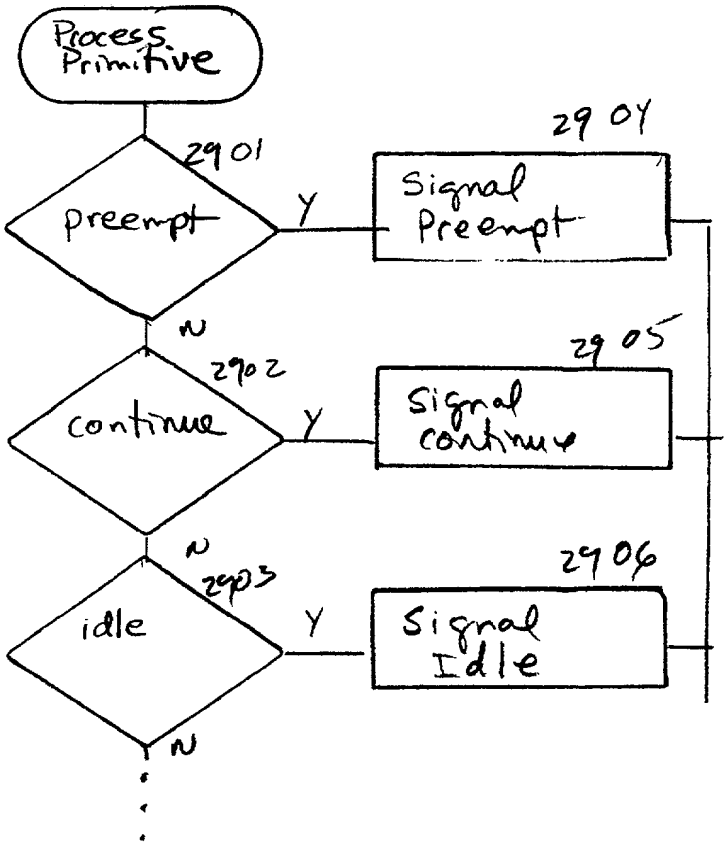

Process Primitive
2901
preempt
Y
2904
Signal Preempt
N
2902
continue
Y
2905
Signal continue
N
2903
idle
Y
2906
Signal Idle
N

Fig 29

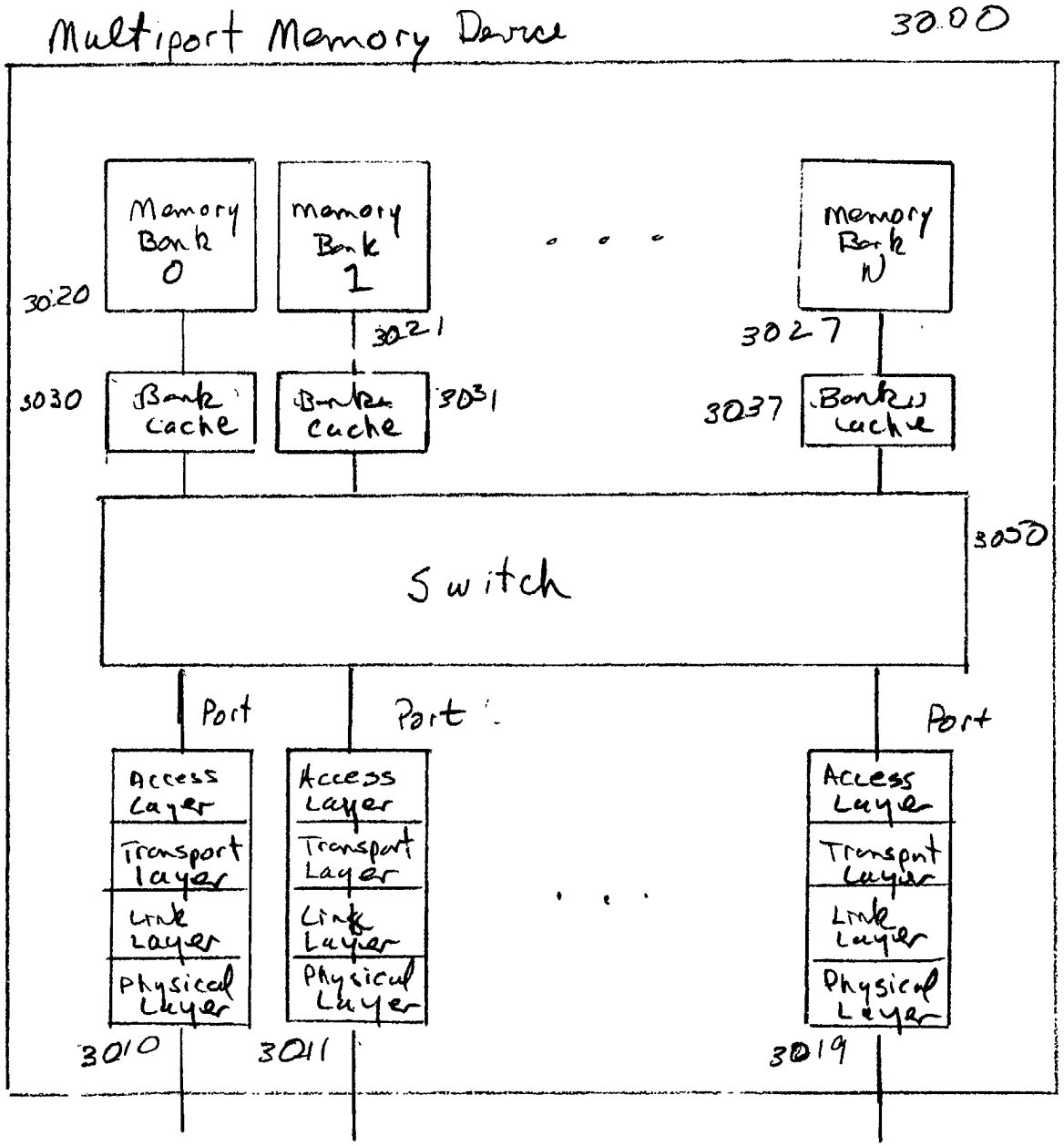


Fig 30